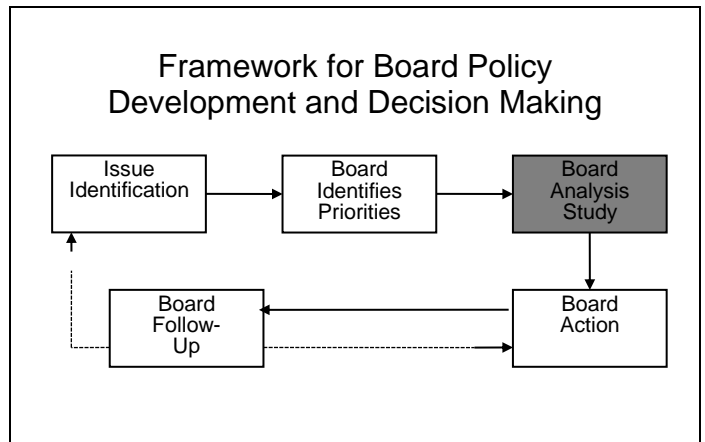


# Iowa State Board of Education

## Executive Summary

August 4, 2016



**Agenda Item:** Appeals – Next Steps

**Iowa Goal:** All PK-12 students will achieve at a high level.

**State Board Role/Authority:** Under Iowa Code section 290.1, the State Board of Education has authority to hear appeals from local school board decisions.

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Iowa Department of Education

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State Board of Education Member

**Attachments:** None

**Recommendation:** It is recommended that the State Board hear and discuss this information.

**Background:** The State Board will continue to discuss its role in the appeals process and the current criteria for deciding appeals.